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TOI	Assistant Director for Operations	23 September 1949
FIPOI	M: Chief,	
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REFERE	ENCES; (a) Copy of letter from subject to Rear Adm 12 September 1949	R. H. Hillenkoetter,
	(b) Copy of acknowledgment	
25X1	1. References (a) and (b) have been brought to the attention of the Acting Chief, and a representative from that office will make a courtesy call on subject before his departure for and discuss with him his offer to be of service to this organisation.	
25X1	2. It is the opinion of the Asting Chief, in which we concur - that briefing of subject before departure might cause embarrassment in view of his status as a retired army officer travelling into an area under the jurisdiction of the U.S. Military Establishment. We shall therefore indicate to him our appreciation of his offer of assistance, and request the opportunity to interrogate him upon his return.	
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